



Evening Programs

Relax under the stars and learn about Crater Lake during these 45-minute presentations. Programs are held at the Mazama Campground Amphitheater (between loops D and E).

Sunday July 31 9:00 pm		<u>The Beauty of Crater Lake</u> —Does the beauty of Crater Lake have the power to change you? Come hear ranger Mike Cook discuss the powerful forces of nature that have created the beauty we see today. Perhaps the beauty of this lake will change you as much as it has changed Mike.
Monday August 1 8:30 pm		<u>Picture This! Pictures, Politicians, and Pioneers</u> —For more than 100 years, pictures have been telling the story of Crater Lake. Join ranger Dave Harrison to explore how photography has influenced the park's history, from the days of John Muir and Teddy Roosevelt to today.
Tuesday August 2 8:30 pm		<u>Things That Go Bump in the Night</u> —In the deep, dark forests of Crater Lake National Park live many fascinating (and sometimes fear-inducing) creatures. Join ranger Darby Robinson to investigate a few of the animals lurking, crawling, and prowling through the park after dark.
Wednes. August 3 8:30 pm		<u>The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly</u> —Interesting changes are taking place at Crater Lake with respect to the snowpack, air & water temperatures, and species such as the American pika and Whitebark pine. Join ranger Brian Ettling to investigate if climate change is responsible and how the park is responding.
Thurs. August 4	8:30 pm	<u>Stranded on Climate's Island</u> —American pikas are small mammals that live on the rocky rim of Crater Lake. Unable to tolerate hot weather, they are increasingly isolated high in the mountains. Join ranger Stephanie Carter to investigate how climate change is affecting this sensitive species.
	9:30 pm	<u>Stars Over Crater Lake (meet at Discovery Point)</u> —The dark night skies over Crater Lake provide magnificent views of stars, planets, and the Milky Way. Join ranger Emily Prud'homme for an outdoor tour of celestial attractions. Bring a blanket and/or binoculars if you have them. Note: This program will take place at Discovery Point, an overlook on the West Rim Drive 1 mile from Rim Village.
Friday August 5 8:30 pm		<u>Volcano Stories</u> —For thousands of years people have told stories about Crater Lake and the mountain that once stood here. Join ranger Anne Spillane to explore several different perspectives on our volcano, from the Native American to the geological.
Saturday August 6 8:30 pm		<u>Campfires, Stories, and Songs</u> —Join ranger Madeline Rose for a nostalgic, old-fashioned ranger program to learn about Crater Lake through story and song while enjoying the fun and camaraderie of a crackling campfire. Bring your guitars and harmonicas!
Sunday August 7 8:30 pm		<u>The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly</u> —Interesting changes are taking place at Crater Lake with respect to the snowpack, air & water temperatures, and species such as the American pika and Whitebark pine. Join ranger Brian Ettling to investigate if climate change is responsible and how the park is responding.
Monday August 8 8:30 pm		<u>Picture This! Pictures, Politicians, and Pioneers</u> —For more than 100 years, pictures have been telling the story of Crater Lake. Join ranger Dave Harrison to explore how photography has influenced the park's history, from the days of John Muir and Teddy Roosevelt to today.
Tuesday August 9 9:00 pm		<u>Stars Over Crater Lake</u> —The dark night skies over Crater Lake provide magnificent views of stars, planets, and the Milky Way. Join ranger Emily Prud'homme for a tour of celestial attractions. Bring a blanket and/or binoculars if you have them. Note: This program will start at 9:00 pm, not 8:30.
Wednes. August 10 8:30 pm		<u>Journey Into the Ancient Forest</u> —The forests of Crater Lake support a rich web of life and fascinating species such as the Spotted owl, Whitebark pine, and Northern flying squirrel. Join ranger Lesley McClintock to explore the park's old-growth forests and to discover the creatures that live here.
Thursday August 11 8:30 pm		<u>Stranded on Climate's Island</u> —American pikas are small mammals that live on the rocky rim of Crater Lake. Unable to tolerate hot weather, they are increasingly isolated high in the mountains. Join ranger Stephanie Carter to investigate how climate change is affecting this sensitive species.
Friday August 12 8:30 pm		<u>Volcano Stories</u> —For thousands of years people have told stories about Crater Lake and the mountain that once stood here. Join ranger Anne Spillane to explore several different perspectives on our volcano, from the Native American to the geological.